

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Horst Mueller                          Art Unit : 1796  
Serial No. : 10/567,616                          Examiner : Satya B Sastri  
Filed : February 7, 2006                          Conf. No. : 2023  
Title : Phosphonic Acid-modified Microgel Dispersion

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO NON-FINAL ACTION OF NOVEMBER 18, 2008**

In response to the office action dated November 18, 2008 ("Office Action"),  
Applicants amend the above-identified application as follows: